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FOR SCA

E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: CGEN, SN

SUBJ: CONSULAR PACKAGE -FY 1976

REF: DEPT'S AIRGRAM A4500

SCHEDULE I - IMMIGRANT VISAS		FY 64	FY 75	FY 76
A. IMMIGRANT VISAS ISSUED		169	180	180
B. IMMIGRANT REFUSED	2	5	5	
C. IMMIGRANT VISAS REPLACED		0	1	2
TOTALS	177 186	187		
D. MAN-HOURS UTILIZED:				
AMERICAN: FUL TIME PERMANENT		150	50	50
TEMPORARY	0 0	0		
PART-TIME	0 100	100		
SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN MAN-HOURS		150	150	150
LOCAL: FULL TIME PERMANENT		500	500	500
TEMPORARY	0 0	0		
PART-TIME	0 0	0		
SUB-TOTAL LOCAL MAN-HOURS		500	500	500
TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN-HOURS		650	650	650
CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED		\$4235	\$4525	\$4530
INS SERVICE FEES				
43 RE-ENTRY PERMIT EXTENSIONS)				
		\$770		
34 VISA PETITIONS)				

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SCHEDULE II-NON-IMMIGRANT VISAS

A. NON-IMMIGRANT VISAS ISSUED	406	5000	5500
B. NON-IMMIGRANT VISAS REFUSED	43	50	55
C. NON-IMMIGRANT VISAS REVALIDATED/ TRANSFERRED	104	150	150
SUB-TOTAL NIV CASES	4212	5200	5700
D. BORDER CROSSING CARDS ISSUED	0	0	0
E. CREW LISTS PROCESSED	73	70	65
F. INDIVIDUAL NAMES INCLUDED	3292	3200	3000
TOTALS	4285	5270	5765
G. MAN-HOURS UTILIZED			
AMERICANS: FULL TIME PERMANENT		500	100 100
TEMPORARY	0	0	0
PART TIME	0	435	435
SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN MAN-HOURS		500	535 535
LOCALS: FULL TIME PERMANENT		2000	2000 2000
TEMPORARY	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	0	0
SUB-TOTAL LOCAL MAN-HOURS		2000	2000 2000
TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN-HOURS		2500	2535 2535
CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED		\$1373.50	\$1400 \$1450

SCHEDULE III - SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES

A. DEATH OF AMERICAN CITIZENS	38	40	40
B. ESTATES AND PROPERTY CLAIMS	2	4	4
C. NOTARIALS	2480	2000	2000
D. WELFARE AND WHEREABOUTS	115	130	140
E. ARRESTS	12	10	10
F. SEAMEN AND SHIPPING	1500	1200	1000
G. SERVICES FOR OTHER FEDERAL OR STATE AGENCIES	82	75	75
TOTAL	4229	3459	3269
H. TREASURY CHECKS	1500	1500	1500
I. CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED	\$4132.20	\$4000	\$4000
AMERICAN: FULL TIME PERMANENT	1000	800	800
TEMPORARY	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	200	200
SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN MAN-HOURS	1000	1000	1000

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LOCAL: FULL TIME PERMANENT	1162	1100	1100
TEMPORARY	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	0	0
SUB-TOTAL LOCAL MAN-HOURS	1162	1100	1100
TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN-HOURS	2162	2100	2100

SCHEDULE IV- CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORT SERVICES

A. PASSPORT APPLICATIONS EXECUTED	1362	1300	1300
B. PASSPORT APPLICATIONS EXAMINED	0	0	0
C. FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	1245	1200	1200
D. NO-FEE PASSPORTS ISSUED	75	75	75
E. PASSPORTS AMENDED	147	150	150
F. PASSPORT VERIFIED	0	0	0
G. NEW APPLICATIONS FOR REGISTRATION			
(A)	1104	1100	1104
H. BIRTH AFFIDAVIT, REGISTRATION AND			
REPORT OF BIRTHS (FS-240)	76	75	75
I. WITNESS TO MARRIAGE	0	0	0
J. WAIVER OF PASSPORTS	0	0	0
TOTAL	4009	3900	3900
REGISTRATIONS:			
A. NUMBER REGISTERED	3000		
B. ESTIMATED NUMBER OF U.S. NATIONAL			
CIVILIANS RESIDENTS	8000		
U.S. OFFICIALS	94		
U.S. NON-OFFICIALS	7906		
CONSULAR FEES COLLECTED	\$14490	14400	14400
AMERICAN: FULL TIME PERMANENT	1000	500	500
TEMPORARY	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	700	700
SUB-TOTAL AMERICAN MAN-HOURS	1000	1200	1200
LOCAL: FULL TIME PERMANENT	1500	1500	1500
TEMPORARY	0	0	0
PART-TIME	0	0	0
SUB-TOTAL LOCAL MAN-HOURS	1500	1500	1500
TOTAL PRODUCTIVE MAN-HOURS	2500	2700	2700

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SCHEDULE VI - FULL TIME PERMANENT POSITIONS

SPEC.	MCTIZENSHIP					
CONS.	PASSPORT					
VISA	SERVICES		SERVICES			
NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
AMER.	LOCAL	AMER.	LOCAL	AMER.	LOCAL	

REG. BUR. AUTHORIZ.

AS OF JUNE 30, '73 2/ 3 2/ 3 2/ 3

GENERAL CONSULAR		TOTAL	
NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
AMER.	LOCAL	AMER.	LOCAL

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AS OF JUNE 30, '73 2/ 3 2/ 3

SPEC.	CITIZENSHIP					
CONS.	PASSPORT					
VISA	SERVICES		SERVICES			
NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
AMER.	LOCAL	AMER.	LOCAL	AMER.	LOCAL	

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GENERAL CONSULAR		TOTAL	
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NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
AMER.	LOCAL	AMER.	LOCAL

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SPEC.	CITIZENHSHIP					
CONS.	PASSPORT					
VISA	SERVICES		SERVICES			
NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
AMER.	LOCAL	AMER.	LOCAL	AMER.	LOCAL	

FILLED POSITIONS

AS OF JUNE 30, '74 2/ 3 2/ 3 2/ 3

GENERAL CONSULAR		TOTAL	
NO.	NO.	NO.	NO.
AMER.	LOCAL	AMER.	LOCAL

FILLED POSITIONS

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SPEC. CITIZENSHIP

CONS. PASSPORT

VISA SERVICES SERVICES

NO. NO. NO. NO. NO. NO.

AMER. LOCAL AMER. LOCAL AMER. LOCAL

REQUIRED PERSONNEL

FOR FY '75 & '76 2// 4 2// 4 2// 4

GENERAL CONSULAR TOTAL

NO. NO. NO. NO.

AMER. LOCAL AMER. LOCAL

REQUIRED PERSONNEL

FOR FY '75 & '76 2// 4 2// 4

/ AN OFFICER ASSIGNED CONSULAR SECTION PREEMPTED BY ECONOMIC/
 COMERCIAL SECTION AND ONLY SPEND TWO HALF DAYS A WEEK. THIS
 CONDITION IMPROVED WHEN A NEWLY FS-8 WHO ARRIVED IN APRIL WAS
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ASSIGNED TO CONSULAR SEC. FOR 60 PERCENT OF HIS TIME.

//CONSULAR SECTION REQUIRES TOTAL TIME OF TWO OFFICERS.

SCHEDULE V - REMARKS AND JUSTIFICATION

A. VISAS

NONIMMIGRANT VISA WORK IS UP ALMOST EXACTLY ONE THIRD OVER 1973
 WITH A 1974 TOTAL OF 4212 CASES PROCESSED. A TOTAL OF 171
 IMMIGRANT VISA CASES WERE PROCESSED DURING THE PERIOD BEING
 REPORTED ON AGAINST 170 LAST YEAR.

B. SPECIAL CONSULAR SERVICES - CITIZENSHIP AND PASSPORTS

SHIPPING AND SEAMEN DUTIES CONTINUE TO TAPER OFF.

THE PROBLEM OF AMERICAN EMPLOYED LOCALLY BY AMERICAN-OWNED
 SINGAPORE-BASED FIRMS CALLING AT THE EMBASSY TO AIR THEIR
 GRIEVANCES AND TO REQUEST HELP IN SETTLING DISAGREEMENTS WITH
 THEIR EMPLOYEES REMAINS A TIME-CONSUMING AND FRUSTRATING PART
 OF THE WORK LOAD.

WELFARE CASES HAVE INCREASED. SEVERAL OF THEM INVOLVING ILL OR
 INJURED PERSONS HAVE BEEN PARTICULARLY TIME-CONSUMING. THE
 RESPONSIBLE OFFICER HAS LITERALLY HUNG UP HIS HAT ON THEM.

THE NUMBER OF COMMERCIAL NOTARIALS PERFORMED IN BEHALF OF FIRMS EXPORTING GOODS TO SOUTH AMERICA HAS CONTINUED TO DECREASE WHICH ACCOUNTS FOR THE LOWER TOTAL AS COMPARED TO LAST YEAR. NOTARIAL SERVICES FOR U.S. CITIZENS RESIDING HERE APPEARS TO BE HOLDING ITS OWN.

WHILE THE TOTAL OF PASSPORT AND CITIZENSHIP CASES IS APPROXIMATELY THE SAME AS LAST YEAR, THIS IS EXPLAINED BY THE GREAT INCREASE IN REGISTRATIONS.

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ALTHOUGH WORK HAS TAPERED OFF A BIT IN SOME AREAS, THIS SLACK IS TAKEN UP IN OTHERS. THE CONSULAR SECTION IS A VERY BUSY UNIT. THE SERVICES OF A NEWLY APPOINTED VICE CONSUL WHO UNCLASSIFIED

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ARRIVED TWO MONTHS AGO AND SPENDS 60 PER CENT OF HIS TIME IN THE CONSULAR SECTION HAS BEEN A HELP. HE SPENDS THE REMAINDER OF HIS TIME DOING POLITICAL REPORTING. IF AND WHEN A FULL-TIME POLITICAL OFFICER IS ASSIGNED HERE, THE VICE CONSUL WILL SPEND ALL OF HIS TIME DOING CONSULAR WORK. THE ONLY CONSULAR OFFICER ASSIGNED FULL TIME TO THE SECTION DURING THE PAST YEAR DID NOT TAKE ANY ANNUAL LEAVE BECAUSE OF THE PRESS OF BUSINESS AND LACK OF A SUBSTITUTE. THIS UNDESIRABLE SITUATION SHOULD BE REMEDIED BY THE PART-TIME SERVICES OF THE NEWLY ASSIGNED VICE CONSUL.

THE SERVICES OF ANOTHER LOCAL EMPLOYEE WOULD BE OF GREAT HELP IN CATCHING UP WITH THE BACKLOG AND KEEPING UP TO DATE. THE NEED FOR AN ADDITIONAL FSL POSITION FOR THE 1975 FISCAL YEAR WAS GIVEN IN THE PARA REPORT DATED MARCH 29, 1974 FROM THE EMBASSY.

THE PARA ALSO ASKED FOR THE ASSIGNMENT OF A FULL-TIME POLITICAL OFFICER TO THIS POST.
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